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Applicant hereby requests a 3 month extension of time within which to file a response to the Examiner's Action dated 08/24/2001. Enclosed is our check for \$460 in payment of the required fee for extension.

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